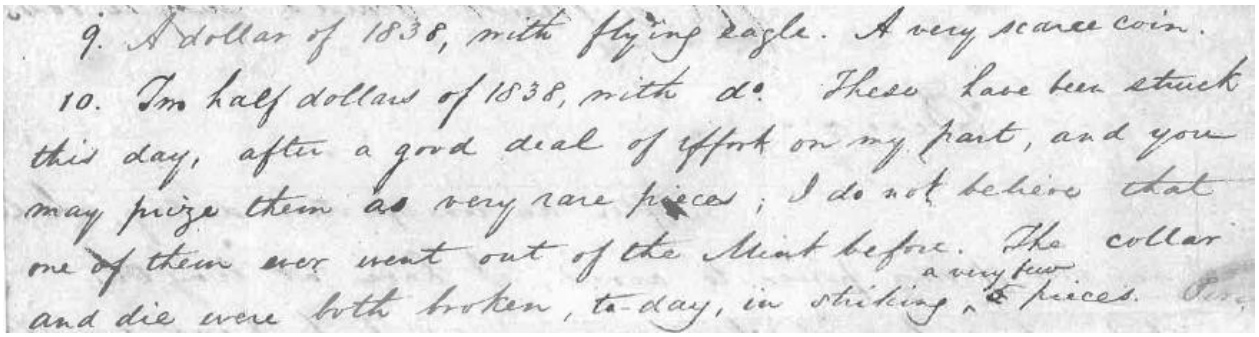
Judd-79a / Pollock-86

This design is not an 1838 product. It appears these were struck for Matthew Stickney on July 12, 1843 by W.E. Dubois per letter in the Peabody Essex Museum.


9. A dollar of 1838, with flying eagle. A very scarce coin.
10. Im half dollars of 1838, with do. These have been struck this day, after a good deal of effort on my part, and you may prize them as very rare pieces; I do not believe that one of them ever went out of the Mint before. The collar and die were both broken, to-day, in striking a very few pieces.

1) Smithsonian with rotated doublestruck reverse

Photos courtesy of the National Numismatic Collection of the Smithsonian Institution.

2) Byron Reed-Durham museum – ICG63

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3) Frossard 5/1882, Garrett-JHU, B/R 11/1979 Garrett I, B/M 1/88, Superior 10/89 – NGC67

4) Stacks 2/76, Crouch-Superior 6/77, Sieck-81 ANA, Queller-Heritage 5/12, Jewell-StacksBowers 8/13 – PCGS64, identifiable by the irregular toning from tail to period

5) Witham-Auction 81, Queller-Heritage 1/09, Stacks 9/09 – NGC66

Note: the pedigrees for these last 2 somehow got reversed over time and in Heritage sale

6) Evans-B/M 8/98, Simpson-Heritage 4/21 - PCGS65

7) Chapman Brothers April 1897 Sale; J.M. Clapp; Clapp Estate, 1942, to Louis E. Eliasberg, Sr.; Eliasberg Collection (Bowers and Merena, 5/96), lot 233; Heritage, 5/2003; Rau-Heritage 4/18 as NGC63; GreatCollections.com 2/8/26 – PCGS62

8) Eliasberg – Heritage 1/07, B/M 8/10 – PCGS66

9) Heritage 5/09 as NCS Unc details, cleaned; Heritage 1/18 – PCGS61

10) Superior 8/75 ANA; NERCA 4/80; ANR 1/2006; Osburn-Stack's/Bowers 8/2011, Heritage 5/22 - PCGS64

11) Numismatic Ltd 8/74; Bass-B/M 5/99 – PCGS62

12) W.E. Dubois (struck July 12, 1843 – see note imaged at the top), Stickney (H. Chapman 6/1907), Virgil Brand (journal #38995), Dr Judd, unknown intermediates, Heritage 8/25 ANA – PCGS63, the coin imaged below appears to have the same scratch by Liberty's right arm that is level with star 2.

The following are either additional pieces or included in above.

Boyd, Farouk, Krouner-Coronet Coin FPL, Merkin 2/71